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SUBJECT: LOS - REQUEST FOR MINERAL DATA

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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF STATE A-2195 SENT MARCH 13, 1973.
GEOGRAPHICAL SURVEY PAPER 817 SHOULD HAVE BEEN ATTACHED.
ANOTHER IS BEING POUCHED TO YOU TODAY.

2. BEGIN TEXT: ATTACHED ARE COPIES OF "SUMMARY PETROLEUM
AND SELECTED MINERAL STATISTICS FOR 120 COUNTRIES, IN-
CLUDING OFFSHORE AREAS". PREPARATION OF THIS SURVEY BY
THE U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY WAS GREATLY FACILITATED BY DATA
ON MINERAL AND HYDROCARBON RESOURCES PROVIDED BY ADDRESSEE
POSTS IN RESPONSE TO THE DEPARTMENT'S REQUEST LAST JUNE
(STATE 108880).

3. THE SURVEY INCLUDES IMPORTANT INFORMATION CONCERNING
MINERAL RESOURCES, ON A REGIONAL AND INDIVIDUAL COUNTRY
BASIS, AND IS OF PARTICULAR SIGNIFICANCE FOR THE CURRENT

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LAW OF THE SEA NEGOTIATIONS. WE ATTACH COPIES OF THE

SURVEY BOTH FOR THE USE OF EMBASSY OFFICERS FOLLOWING
LOS MATTERS AND FOR DISTRIBUTION BY POSTS TO HOST
COUNTRY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN LOS AFFAIRS.

4. THE DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY COMMENTS OR
CORRECTIONS ON THE SURVEY. WE WILL BE ASKING FOR UP-
DATING INFORMATION AT A LATER DATE. (END TEXT). ROGERS

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